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The BURSLEM HAYWOOD and TUNSTALL WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

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REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1940.

The Board of Governors has pleasure in presenting the Annual Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1940.

Obituary.

It is with deep regret that the death of Mr. William Rhodes is recorded. He was Chairman of the Hospital during 1925–1930 and took a very great interest and played an active part in its management and general welfare.

The death of Mr. W. H. Abberley, who was our Honorary Solicitor, also deprived the Hospital not only of a trusted legal advisor but of a very true friend.

Appointment of Chairman.

Following the regretted resignation of Sir Fred Hayward owing to ill health, Mr. Jos. Cope, J.P., of Tunstall, was unanimously appointed Chairman of the Board of Governors at the last Annual Meeting.

At the time of his appointment Mr. Cope was a patient in the Hospital, but we are glad to say that he completely recovered and was able to take up office during the year. Prior to this he had occupied the position of Vice-Chairman for five years, in which capacity he rendered very valuable service. It is also pleasing to record that during the year Mr. Cope was appointed a Justice of the Peace, and the congratulations of the Board were duly extended to him.

Resignation and Appointment.

Mr. T. C. Maynard resigned as a Governor consequent upon his leaving the district, and this resignation was accepted with regret.

It is with very great pleasure that we record the appointment of Mr. James Cadman, D.S.C., D.L., of Walton Hall, Eccleshall, to fill this vacancy. For many years Mr. Cadman, has been a good friend of the Hospital and has helped in many ways; his Presidency of the Nurses' Home Bazaar, when over £11,000 was raised, will be well remembered. The Board looks forward with keenness to having the benefit of his co-operation and advice.

Honorary Staff.

Once again the Board desire to express their gratitude for the valuable service which is given by the Honorary Medical and Surgical Staff, and also to Messrs. Abberley & Walker, our Honorary Solicitors.

THE "SENTINEL."

Thanks are due to the Editor and Staff of the "Evening Sentinel" for the support which is so readily and effectively given on all occasions.

GENERAL REVIEW.

In attempting any review of the work of the year, one is immediately conscious of the part played by the war in the life of the Hospital generally. Fortunately, there has been no influx of casualties and we are thankful to record our immunity from the effects of Air Raids, although on one or two occasions bombs have been dropped uncomfortably near and a small number of victims have been treated at the Hospital.

A considerable amount of time and labour has been necessitated, however, in the provision of such things as an adequate blackout, general air-raid shelters and sleeping shelters for the Nursing and Domestic Staffs. A scheme for the structural protection of the Hospital has been carried out in conjunction with the Ministry of Health, and arrangements for fire watching and fighting have been made which have received the approval of the Local Authorities.

It is perhaps invidious to single out names, but one is compelled to acknowledge the very valuable advice and service given by Mr. Arthur Durose, Chairman of the General Purposes Committee, in connection with these matters. Mention should also be made of the volunteer fire watchers who came forward in response to an appeal, and for the last eight months have slept at the Hospital one night per week ready for duty, in addition to taking other turns of watching in the evenings and at week-ends, and attending for stirrup-pump rehearsals, lectures, etc. The Hospital is now covered for the whole 24 hours each day, and sincere gratitude is due to these men and to the members of our day staff who willingly serve in this way.

Food rationing has also presented its problems and credit is due to the Matron for the varied diets and good wholesome food which has been available both for Patients and Staff in spite of this difficulty.

Notwithstanding these additional and troublesome problems created by the war, the work of the Hospital has gone steadily forward and its services have been maintained. As will be seen from the statistics on page 16, there has been no great fluctuation in the number of Patients dealt with and these figures disclose, in a matter of fact way, the useful amount of work done by all sections of the Hospital

during the year. One rather interesting point is that more letters than ever were received from Patients who had left the Hospital expressing appreciation of the skill and care which had been shown to them.

The future is, of course, unknown, but we are ready and fully prepared to serve the community, and are quietly confident of our ability to deal with any emergency.

FINANCE.

During the year the ordinary Income decreased by £1,014 2s. 8d., and ordinary Expenditure by £397 0s. 11d.

The Income has been chiefly affected by two items—(i) the fall in the amount received from the Whist Championship Committee from £1,000 in 1939 to £575 in 1940. The work of this Committee has been worse hit than any other as a result of the war and the consequent closing of many of its avenues of income. Steps were initiated in 1940 by the Lord Mayor of the City (Ald. W. A. Holdcroft) to reduce this deficit, and we are hoping that the efforts made under his patronage will realise the amount of the deficit. (ii) The amount available from the Contributory Association is less by £492 9s. 0d. after making a deduction of £420, the Hospital's share of the Medical Staff Endowment Fund.

The amount received from the Churches totalling £34 18s. 0d. is rather disappointing. It is felt that if all the Churches in the Northern end of the City were to organise some form of Hospital effort during the year, as is done in most other districts, a considerably larger sum would be available. There is surely, a link between the work of a Church and that of a Hospital, and a move in the direction indicated would probably benefit both.

The reduction in expenditure is pleasing and is due to economical management, and a close watch being kept on all avenues of expense. A continuation of this reduction, however, is not to be expected. As the Chairman of a large Scottish Hospital said recently, "We are doing everything we can to keep costs down but we cannot control prices." The advent of the Purchase Tax is a serious matter. On drugs the least plusage is 16·2/3%, while some carry a tax of 33·1/3%. The prices of foodstuffs are appreciably higher than pre-war when we were able to enter into very advantageous contracts. Meat prices for example are doubled, although, of course, not so much is obtainable by reason of rationing; the price of fuel has advanced and also many other commodities; wage increases have had to be given to certain sections of the Staff to enable them to bear

the effect of rising prices. Moreover, in 1941, an order has already been placed for better sterilizing equipment—a very necessary factor—to the approximate cost of £320, and a certain amount of renovation and cleaning down is very necessary.

While the financial position for 1940, indicating a deficiency of £322 9s. 7d. is not alarming, it is apparent that during the present year strenuous efforts will be necessary in order to maintain the efficient Hospital service which we are now providing without incurring a substantial loss. Increasing costs make an increased income essential, and to this end we solicit the generous support of all sections of the community.

NEW PRIVATE MATERNITY BLOCK.

This block was opened for the reception of Patients in May. Eight single rooms are provided together with all the most modern facilities, the charge for which is £6 6s. 0d. per week. An encouraging start has been made and it is pleasant to hear the appreciation expressed by the visiting Doctors of the amenities, equipment and service provided.

SIR FRED HAYWARD.

On Tuesday, the 10th December, a photograph of Sir Fred Hayward was unveiled in the Boardroom by Mr. Jos. Cope, Chairman of the Hospital, as a tribute to Sir Fred's distinguished service to the Hospital over a period of 24 years, and particularly his Chairmanship during the years 1931–1940.

A representative gathering included the Lord Mayor of the City (Councillor A. E. Hewitt, M.C., J.P.) Lady Hayward, Mr. E. N. Scott (Editor of the "Sentinel"), Dr. S. King Alcock, Chairman of the Medical Board, together with the Governors, Medical Board, the House Committee, and other friends.

All the speakers were unanimous in their appreciation of the foresight and ability which Sir Fred had brought to bear in the discharge of his duties as Hospital Chairman and also in the municipal affairs of the City.

GARDEN.

1940 was the first year in which we tried to grow produce of our own, and just over an acre of land was cultivated for this purpose. It was very useful to be able to obtain greenstuffs of our own, particularly at the prices prevailing, and the tomato plants yielded approximately 200 lbs. of very fine tomatoes. Better results still are anticipated this year as the outcome of the experience gained in our first attempt.

WHIST CHAMPIONSHIP COMMITTEE.

As mentioned elsewhere, the activities of this Committee have been affected more seriously than that of any other as a result of the War. The spirit of the Committee is excellent and it only needs better times for its full value to be evidenced once again. The Governors are grateful to Mr. Maskery, the Chairman, and to all members for their splendid efforts under difficult conditions.

LADIES' COMMITTEES.

The very valuable work performed so consistently by the Ladies' House Committee and the Burslem and Tunstall Linen Guilds is much appreciated by the Governors. Egg Week resulted in the collection of 10,500 eggs and £13 16s. 2d. in cash, whilst Pound Day realised over £40 in value. The amount of goods supplied by the respective Linen Guilds was as follows:—

Burslem	£171
Tunstall	£60

In addition mention should be made of a special gift by the Tunstall Section of sheeting and blankets to the approximate value of £100. Burslem also came along with some "extras" and the devoted service of the ladies of our Linen Guilds is a valuable asset to the Hospital.

THE NORTH STAFFS. VOLUNTARY HOSPITALS CONTRIBUTORY ASSOCIATION.

The amount received from the Scheme in 1940 was £7,977 11s., out of which £420 has to be paid for the Hospital's quota towards the Honorary Medical Staffs. Endowment Fund, which leaves a net figure of £7,557 11s. 0d. as compared with £8,050 in 1939.

The total amount distributed to the four associated Hospitals was £69,370 as against £70,000 in 1939.

The continued success of the scheme is very gratifying as is also the fact that the cost of administration was only 1·78%.

HOSPITAL CHAPLAINS.

The Governors would like to express their appreciation of the services rendered by the Rev. Harry Baylis, M.A., of St. Werburgh's Church, Burslem, and the Ministers of the Free Churches. Services are held at the Hospital each week and are much appreciated both by Patients and Staff.

ROTA COMMITTEE.

The Rota Committee continues its valuable service to the Hospital by sending representatives to attend on each visiting day and in addition organising a number of efforts to raise funds. The box collections have shown an appreciable improvement since this system was inaugurated, and the Governors are very grateful.

GIFTS AND VOLUNTARY SERVICES.

Owing to the need for economy particularly in the use of paper, it is not possible to include all the detailed list of gifts which have appeared previously, nor to acknowledge the large amount of voluntary service which has been so willingly rendered. The Governors wish to assure all their friends, however, that their gratitude is none the less sincere and they hope that this general expression of appreciation will be accepted.

For and on behalf of the Board of Governors,

C. E. LOWNDES,

Secretary.

Report of Annual Meeting of Board of Governors

HELD IN THE BOARD ROOM ON TUESDAY, MARCH 11TH, 1941.
(vide *Sentinel,* 12th March, 1941).

Mr. Cope was unanimously re-elected Chairman of the Governors, on the proposition of Alderman Sir Fred Hayward, J.P., Chairman of the Finance Committee.

Moving the adoption of the Hospital's Annual Report and Statement of Accounts, Mr. Cope said that the past year had been a very difficult period for the Hospital. The difficulties had resulted mainly from wartime conditions. Measures had to be taken for meeting any emergency conditions for safeguarding the Hospital and its staff and patients, and also for meeting food rationing regulations. As a contribution to the war effort, a dig-for-victory scheme was started last year, and a useful supply of vegetables was provided for the Hospital.

Financial Position.

Summarising the accounts, Mr. Cope said that income was down by slightly more than £1,000, and expenditure was also reduced by over £400. Two main items contributed to the reduced income—a reduction of £425 on the Whist Championship effort, and £492 less from the Contributory Association. The Governors had carefully watched expenditure, and, while the utmost possible economy had been observed, the efficiency of the Hospital's services had not been impaired. It would be generally agreed that it would be false economy to reduce expenditure at the expense of efficiency.

The cost of foodstuffs and materials, however, was increasing, and the Purchase Tax on drugs also had to be borne by the Hospital.

Purchase Tax.

This tax (continued Mr. Cope) ranges from 16⅔ per cent to 33⅓ per cent. It seems to me to be rather iniquitous, in times like the present, to impose such a tax. If the object is to raise revenue, it is a rather deplorable method to use; and if it is aimed at curtailing the use of essential healing commodities, it is even worse. If it applied only to imported drugs one could see some justification for the tax, but to impose it on home-produced drugs, essential to hospital services. is an unwarrantable additional burden on hospital administration.

VOLUNTARY HELP.

Fullest Measure of Support Needed.

Mr Cope said that the expenses in the present year were likely to be heavier than in 1940, and he appealed for help from the Hospital's many supporters in maintaining the existing services.

It was estimated that a sum of £15,000 would be required to meet this year's ordinary expenditure—twice the amount which was likely to be received from the Contributory Scheme. As had previously been emphasised, the Contributory Scheme by no means solved the Haywood Hospital's financial problems, and the fact that twice as much was needed as was received from that source clearly illustrated the position. It was essential that the fullest possible measure of voluntary support and effort should be forthcoming to bridge the financial gap.

Year's Work.

Mr. Cope said that the Haywood had been able to maintain its full services to the local public, despite the provisions made for meeting emergency conditions.

Over 8,000 cases had been dealt with in the casualty department, and over 20,000 attendances had been made by out-patients during the past year. The Hospital had also dealt with 1,188 in-patients, and a total of 1,000 major and minor operations had been performed. In addition, there was the work of the X-ray and Pathological departments.

These figures illustrated the valued work which the Haywood Hospital was performing in the northern end of the City, and the necessity for maintaining its services.

Staff and Helpers.

After thanking the great body of the Hospital's supporters for their continued loyal service and co-operation, Mr. Cope paid a tribute to the work of the Medical and Nursing Staffs, and the Matron (Miss B. Midgley).

He further thanked the Ladies' House Committee, the Burslem and Tunstall Linen Guilds, members of the Whist Championship Committee, and Volunteer Fire-watchers—the latter performing a highly-important, if not spectacular service. He mentioned that the Whist Championship Committee were making special efforts to make good their reduced contribution for last year, and had already raised £300 of the amount concerned.

Thanking the Editor and staff of the *Sentinel* for their " unstinted help and co-operation," Mr. Cope added: "Even in these times, when newsprint is restricted, we find the *Sentinel* as ready and willing as ever to give this Hospital every support and help. That help is greatly appreciated."

Sir FRED HAYWARD.

The Cause of the Local Hospitals.

Seconding the adoption of the report and accounts, Alderman Sir Fred Hayward said the accounts were far better than he had expected to find them to be. He urged the fullest possible support of the Hospital, as it was now performing a great service, and there would be equal need for its services when the war was over. It was hoped, therefore, that the desired increased measure of support would be forthcoming, as the needs of the Hospital remained constant, and a balance on the wrong side only accentuated the general difficulties of wartime.

Many other calls and appeals were bound to be made for wartime objects, but it was important that the public should not overlook the cause of the local hospitals. Without such hospital services the City would indeed be much the poorer.

The report and accounts were adopted unanimously.

STATISTICAL TABLES.

IN-PATIENTS.	1939	1940
1. Total number of available beds on 31st December	66	66
2. Average number of patients resident daily	51·1	53
3. Number of In-Patients in the Hospital at beginning of the year	49	51
4. Number of In-Patients admitted during year	1230	1188
5. Number of In-Patients in the Hospital at end of the year	49	53
6. Average number of days each Patient was resident	15·2	17·04
7. Number of operations	814	712
OUT-PATIENTS AND CASUALTIES.		
A. Total number of new Patients	6097	5845
B. Total number of Patients' attendances ...	23818	20222
C. Number of Casualty Patients included in A	3127	2936
D. Number of Casualty Attendances included in B	9965	8121
OUT-PATIENTS' CLINICS—NEW CASES.		
Medical	345	316
Surgical	462	419
E. N. T.	304	434
Eyes	391	389
Orthopædic	633	612
Dental	509	462
X-RAY DEPARTMENT.		
Patients	2845	2275
Films used	4224	3601
Radioscopic examinations	402	482
Gastric examinations	222	224
Urological examinations	189	114
Lungs	137	183
Miscellaneous (including fracture extremities)	2277	1754
MASSAGE DEPARTMENT.		
New Patients	326	277
PATHOLOGICAL LABORATORY.		
Number of specimens examined	3808	6332
OPERATIONS.		
(i) General Anæsthetic	629	661
(ii) Local Anæsthetic	590	430

FINANCIAL STATISTICS.

	1939			1940		
A. In-Patients.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Average cost per occupied bed	215	6	10	202	14	4
2. Average cost per In-Patient ...	8	18	11	9	9	4
3. Average cost per In-Patient per week	4	2	9	3	17	11
4. Average cost per In-Patient per day		11	10		11	2
B. Out-Patients.						
1. Average cost per Out-Patient ...		7	11		8	1
2. Average cost per Out-Patient Attendance		2	0		2	5

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS OF FIRMS AND ASSOCIATIONS

	£	s.	d.
Alcocks, Radio Dealers, Fountain Place, Burslem ...	5	5	0
Arrowsmith, T. & Son, Ltd., Burslem	10	10	0
Bass, Ratcliffe & Gretton, Ltd., Brewers, Kingsway, Stoke-on-Trent	2	2	0
Boots, The Chemists, Nottingham	3	3	0
British Aluminium Co. Ltd., Milton	25	0	0
Burgess & Leigh, Middleport Pottery, Burslem	5	5	0
Burslem and District Industrial Co-operative Society, 10 Newcastle Street, Burslem	40	0	0
Boote, T. & R., Ltd., Waterloo Road, Burslem	2	2	0
Brittains Ltd., Paper Mills, Cheddleton, nr. Leek ...	5	0	0
Burslem Co-operative Society Motor Transport Benevolent Fund	2	2	0
Biddulph and District Agricultural Society	1	1	0
British Home Stores, 221/223 Baker St., London N.W.1	1	1	0
Baxter, John & Son, Clive Street, Tunstall	2	2	0
Boulton, D. A., Solicitor, Moorland Road, Burslem ...		10	6
Boulton, Wm., Ltd., Providence Foundry, Burslem ...	3	3	0
Burslem Postmen	2	4	0
Barrett, F., Solicitor, Burslem		2	6
Brodie, J. Paterson & Son	10	10	0
City of Stoke-on-Trent Meat Traders' Association ...	6	13	4
Chatterley-Whitfield Collieries Ltd., Tunstall	5	5	0
Chappell, B. & T., Market Square, Tunstall	1	1	0
Cock, James, Ltd., Magnet Drapery, Burslem	10	10	0
Cobridge Brick and Marl Co., Cobridge	5	5	0
Cadbury Bros., Bournville	1	0	0
Chell Boys' School—Staff	2	2	0
Copestick & Co., Reginald Street, Burslem	1	1	0
Davenports "C.B." Ltd.	2	2	0
Doulton & Co. Ltd., Nile Street, Burslem	25	0	0
District Bank Staff Charities, Burslem	1	10	0
District Bank Staff Charities, Tunstall	2	2	0
Dalehall Mills, Burslem	1	1	0
Durose & Son, Tunstall	2	2	0
Ellis & Ellis, Market Place, Burslem	1	1	0

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS OF FIRMS AND ASSOCIATIONS—*Continued*

	£	s.	d.
Forrester, R. G., Tunstall	2	2	0
Furlong Mills Co., Ltd., Burslem	2	2	0
Gaskell & Grocott, Longport	2	2	0
Goodwin, Corbett, Ltd., Cooperage, Silvester St., Burslem	1	1	0
Hollinshead & Moody, Solicitors, Tunstall	2	2	0
Holdcroft, W. A., Ltd., Nile Street, Burslem	1	1	0
Hoskins, Furlong Road, Tunstall	1	0	0
Holdridge, A., Pastrycook, High Street, Tunstall ...	2	2	0
Johnson Matthey & Co., Sneyd Works, Prince Street, Burslem	1	0	0
Jones, L., Ltd., Liverpool Road, Burslem	1	1	0
Jennings, F. C., Tailors, Waterloo Road, Burslem ...	1	1	0
Keele Street Pottery Co. Ltd., Tunstall	1	1	0
Kent, Wm., Wellington Street, Burslem	2	2	0
Leicesters (Burslem) Ltd., Liverpool Road, Burslem ...	2	2	0
Macintyre, J. & Co., Ltd., Washington Works, Burslem	2	2	0
Maypole Dairy Co. Ltd., Market Place, Burslem ...	1	1	0
Malkin Tiles Ltd., Newport Lane, Burslem	2	2	0
Ministry of Labour, Divisional Office, 281 Corporation Street, Birmingham, 4	2	2	0
Marsden Tiles, Dale Street, Burslem	2	2	0
Millington, W., Dentist, Station Road, Tunstall ...		10	6
Midland Bank Ltd., Tunstall	3	3	0
Newbold, B., Queen Street, Burslem	1	1	0
Norton and Biddulph Collieries Ltd., Biddulph	100	0	0
North Staffs. Provident Association, Trinity Chambers, Hanley	8	0	0
Northern Greyhound Racers (Hanley) Ltd.	2	2	0
North Staffs. Master Builders and Allied Trades, etc. ...	5	5	0
North Staffs. Pulveriser Co. Ltd., Burslem	1	1	0
Parker's (Burslem) Brewery Ltd., Burslem	5	5	0
Potteries Ventilating & Heating Co., Tunstall	2	2	0
Prudential Assurance Co., Holborn Bars, London, E.C.1	40	0	0

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS OF FIRMS AND ASSOCIATIONS—*Continued*

	£	s.	d.
Refuge Assurance Co., Oxford Street, Manchester ...	10	10	0
Robinson, S. & Co., Hamil Road, Burslem	3	3	0
Rhodes Tile Co., Reginald Street, Burslem	1	1	0
Royal, W. H. & Son, Nile Street, Burslem	2	0	0
Staffs. County Council Public Assistance, Stafford ...	6	6	0
Stoke-on-Trent Corporation	21	0	0
Stoke-on-Trent Public Assistance	25	0	0
Surburban Club & Institute Ltd., High Lane, Burslem ...	3	3	0
Sanitary Pottery (Longport) Ltd., Longport	3	3	0
Stoke-on-Trent Lithographic Printers, Hanley	2	2	0
Shelton Iron, Steel & Coal Co. Ltd.	5	5	0
Smith, G. C., Clothiers, Waterloo Road, Burslem ...		10	6
Sambrook Bros., Builders, Hamil Road, Burslem ...	3	3	0
Smith, A. G. S. & Son, Cross Street, Tunstall		10	6
Steele, Henry & Son, Liverpool Road, Burslem	1	1	0
Summerbank Council School	1	4	0
Turner & Sons, Furlong Parade, Burslem	1	1	0
Tunstall & District Assurance Collecting Society, Station Road, Tunstall	25	0	0
Tomlins, Ltd., 124 High Street, Tunstall	2	2	0
Tilstone, Thos. & Sons, Ltd., Scotia Road, Burslem ...	3	3	0
Victory Workingmen's Club & Institute, Hanley Road, Nettlebank, Smallthorne	5	0	0
Wood & Sons, Ltd., Trent and New Wharf Potteries, Burslem	5	5	0
Wood, G. R. & Sons, Newcastle Street, Burslem ...	1	1	0
Wood & Goldstraw, Architects, Tunstall	3	3	0
Wynnes, Market Place, Burslem		5	0
	£523	17	10

PERSONAL
ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS

	£	s.	d.
Askey, A., Market Place, Burslem	2	2	0
Bailey, F. V., The Spinney, Butterton	6	3	0
Bennion, S., Benvale, Seabridge Road, Newcastle, Staffs.	2	2	0
Bowers, Mrs. M. A., 18 Bridgwater Street, Longport ...		5	0
Brindley, Mrs., 168 High Lane, Burslem	1	1	0
Briscoe, W., Black Boy Hotel, Cobridge		10	6
Burt, Mrs., White House, Madeley	1	1	0
Boult, A., Market Place, Burslem	1	1	0
Burgess, C., 72 High Street, Tunstall	1	0	0
Blackhurst, Mr. A., "Holmlea," Weston Road, Meir ...	1	1	0
Boulton, Mr. F. D., Hawthorne House, Porthill ...	2	2	0
Bates, Marion, Springfields, Dunwood, Endon	1	1	0
Burrows, Mr. G., 29 High Street, Brownhills, Tunstall	1	1	0
Bourne, John, 1 Bluestone Avenue, High Lane, Burslem	1	1	0
Beeston, Miss, Sneyd Green Infants' School, Burslem ...		12	0
Cope, Jos., Cranemoor, Victoria Road, Tunstall	10	10	0
Charles, T., Chemist, Queen Street, Burslem	1	1	0
Davenport, Mrs. M. A., Market Place, Burslem	1	1	0
Durose, A., The Gables, Victoria Road, Tunstall ...	3	3	0
Emmett, W., 40 Court Lane Gardens, Wolstanton ...	1	1	0
Eardley, A. E., High Lane, Tunstall		10	0
Goodwin, Miss, 80 Abbey Road, Hanley	2	2	0
Gaskell, H. Oakville Avenue, High Lane, Burslem ...	1	0	0
Haigh, Mr., "Woodroyd," Longsden	2	2	0
Hallatt, S. L., Keele Street, Tunstall	3	3	0
Hammersley, D., Draper, St. John's Square, Burslem ...	1	1	0
Harper, Ald. T. O., "Pengwerne," Watland's Avenue, Wolstanton	1	1	0
Harrison, J., "The Croft," 385 Sneyd Street, Cobridge ...	1	1	0
Hadfield, Mrs., 19 Poplar Road, Macclesfield		10	0
Johnson, Miss A. E., 87 Hall Street, Burslem		10	0
Keen, G., Tunstall	2	2	0

PERSONAL ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS—*Continued*

	£	s.	d.
Lees, Mr. and Mrs., 516 High Lane, Burslem	1	1	0
Massey, Mrs., "Croxden," Rocester		7	6
Mein, Mr., "Jesmond," Congleton Road, Lawton ...	2	2	0
Moston, Mr., Sandbach Road, Cobridge	1	1	0
Oakes, F. A., Woodland Avenue, Burslem	4	4	0
Plant, T. C. E., "Three Ways," High Road, Uttoxeter ...	1	1	0
Rowe, Leon M., 123 High Street, Tunstall	1	1	0
Rushton, F., 89 Hall Street, Burslem	1	1	0
Riley, Ralph, High Street, Pittshill		10	6
Savage, Warwick, Wedgwood Printing Works, Burslem	1	1	0
Sims, Mr., 12 Green Lane, Vicars Cross, Chester ...	1	1	0
Salt, Mrs., 12 Clark Street, Shelton		12	6
Saunders, H., Louise Street Bakery, Burslem		5	0
Sherratt, Mr. and Mrs. W., Old Ford House, Smallthorne	1	1	0
Talbot, Mr. and Mrs. T., Ford Green Farm, Norton-le-Moors	1	1	0
Taylor, G., Furlong Lane, Burslem	1	1	0
Tellwright, W., The Old Vicarage, Hanford	10	0	0
Tellwright, Mrs. A. J., The Old Vicarage, Hanford ...	10	0	0
Thompson, H. R., Rathbone Street, Tunstall	1	1	0
Wain, M., Moorland Road, Burslem	2	0	0
Watkin, E. T., National Provincial Bank Chambers, Burslem	1	1	0
Wilson, G. H., 96 Station Road, Tunstall	1	1	0
Wedgwood, S., Queen Street, Burslem	1	0	0
Wood, Mrs. H., Gorsefield, High Lane, Burslem ...	1	1	0
Wain, H. R. (Mr. & Mrs.) 85 Dimsdale View, Porthill	1	1	0
Worthington, N., 40 St. George's Avenue, High Lane, Tunstall	1	5	0
Wood, Mrs., Sneyd Arms, Albert Street, Burslem ...		5	0
	£102	8	0

CHURCHES.

	£	s.	d.
Norton Parish Church	3	13	6
Smallthorne Parish Church	6	12	0
St. Chad's Church, Brindley Ford	1	5	0
St. Werburgh's Church, Burslem	10	0	0
Sneyd Street Methodist Church	2	12	6
Hill Top Chapel	4	4	0
Salem Methodist Church, Smallthorne	1	1	0
Mount Tabor Methodist Church Choir	1	0	0
Free Churches of Tunstall		10	0
Sandy Lane Methodist Church, Brown Edge	3	0	0
Bethel Chapel, Burslem	1	0	0
	£34	18	0

CHARITIES COMMITTEES.

	£	s.	d.
Potteries Motor Transport (Goldenhill Garage) Charities Committee	40	0	0
"Sentinel" Bowls Cup	10	0	0
Baddeley Green Hospital Committee	16	13	4
Kidsgrove Hospital Saturday Committee	15	0	0
Haywood Hospital Rota Committee (includes £50 for 1939)	100	0	0
Tunstall Lord Mayor's Charities' Committee	15	0	0
	£196	13	4

ENTERTAINMENTS AND EFFORTS, 1940.

	£	s.	d.
Mr. Smart, 239 Waterloo Road, Cobridge, for Cobridge Grange Tennis Club	2	2	0
Burslem Traders' Association	17	17	3
Norton Colliery Hospital Committee	52	14	9
Tunstall Haywood Juniors	30	0	0
Harriseahead Horticultural Society	3	0	0
Newchapel Horticultural Society	10	0	0
North Staffs. Association of Anglers	5	0	0
Gracie Fields' Appeal	15	9	0
"Brighter Black Out"—Theatre Royal, per E. E. Eley ...	101	6	4
Burslem & District Industrial Co-operative Society—Employees' Effort	7	2	6
Wells' Motor Services, Congleton Road, Biddulph ...	6	0	0
J. E. Moore, Silver Paper	2	13	0
Samuel Carter, Fegg Hayes Miners' Hall	1	1	2
Carried forward ...	£258	7	3

BOX COLLECTIONS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Hospital Boxes:						
Rota Box	77	10	3			
Daily Collecting Box	10	13	4			
Front Entrance Box	5	17	11			
Dispensary Box	2	2	4			
Massage Box	13	14	0			
				109	17	10
G. H. Heath & Son					10	1
Tunstall Park Conservatory ...				1	15	0
Burslem Park Conservatory				4	9	0
				£374	19	2

DONATIONS, 1940.

	£	s.	d.
Anonymous		3	0
Arrowsmith & Sons	100	0	0
Burslem Police, per Inspector Tennant		10	6
Bown, Mr.		10	0
Cope, Mrs.	1	0	0
Cotton, Elijah, employees of, per Mr. Davies ...	2	2	0
Dale, Ald. J. H.	3	3	0
Ford & Sons	4	0	0
Griffiths, Mr.	1	1	0
Harris, Mr. F. W.	1	1	0
Jones, Mrs.	2	10	0
Keen, Mr. D. E.	5	0	0
Lord Mayor of Stoke-on-Trent—Collection	31	12	9
Moorland Road Girls' School, Burslem	1	2	0
Machin, Mrs.		2	6
Matron's Pound Day	7	4	3
Palin, Mrs.	2	5	0
Price, Mr. & Mrs., "In memory of Nellie Dicken" ...		10	0
	£163	17	0

EX-PATIENTS' ASSOCIATION, 1940.

	£	s.	d.
Alcock, Mrs.	3	0	0
Alcock, Mr.	3	0	0
Anonymous	1	1	0
Anonymous		10	0
Anonymous		2	6
Bond, Mr.	1	0	0
Baker, Mr. A. L.	1	0	0
Bennion, Mrs.		2	6
Bainbridge, Mrs.		10	0
Browe, Mrs.	1	0	0
Boote, Mr. J.	2	0	0
Cliff, Mr.		5	0
Colclough, Mr.		10	0
Cliff, Mrs.	2	2	0
Clegg, Mr.	1	0	0
Cordon, Miss		5	0
Davies, Mrs. S.	1	0	0
Eardley, Mrs.	3	0	0
Gerrard, Miss K.	1	0	0
Howell, Mrs.	1	0	0
Hughes, Mr. J.		10	0
Hargreaves, Mrs.	1	0	0
Hammond, P.	5	0	0
Handley, Mrs. E.		10	0
Hibberts, Mrs. E.		10	0
Llewellyn, Mr.	1	0	0
Leese, Mrs.		10	0
Lane, Mr. F. O.		15	2
Littlehales, Mrs.		10	0
King, Mr. S.		10	0
Keates, Mrs.	3	0	0
Kent, Miss	1	0	0
Mawdesley, Mrs.	5	10	0
Massey, Mr.	1	0	0
Oakes, Mr.	10	10	0
Pitt, Mr. N.	1	0	0
Poulson, Mr. W.	2	0	0
Radcliff, Mrs.	1	0	0
Robinson, Mr.		10	0
Speed, Mrs.	4	0	0
Stanley, Mrs. A.		10	0
Shorter, Mr.	1	0	0
Thompson, Mrs.	1	0	0
Woollam, Miss A.	1	0	0
	£67	3	2

LICENSED HOUSES.

	£	s.	d.
Ancient Briton		1	9
Alma Inn, Elder Road, Cobridge		4	6
Black Lion Inn, Queen Street, Burslem	1	5	4
Bleak Inn, Bleak Street, Cobridge		8	6
Bridge Inn, West Street, Burslem		1	6
Bridge Inn, Ravensdale, nr. Tunstall	1	9	10
Britannia Inn, Navigation Road, Burslem		13	6
Britannia Inn, Grange Street, Cobridge	9	1	0
British Legion, Burslem		7	9
Burslem Workmen's Club, Furlong Lane, Burslem ...		16	10
Cheshire Cheese, High Street, Tunstall		15	0
Crewe Arms, Wharf Street, Burslem		4	9
Crystal Palace, America Street, Tunstall		6	1
Cottage Inn, Clayhills, Tunstall		4	9
Cobridge Hotel, Waterloo Road, Cobridge		4	0
Cromwell Arms, Newcastle Street, Burslem		2	2
Dog & Partridge Inn, High Street, Sandyford		7	6
Dolphin Inn, Cobridge Road, Burslem			11
Dolphin Inn, Church Street, Burslem	2	1	10
Duke of Bridgewater Inn, Longport		7	11
Farmers' Arms, High Street, Tunstall		18	3
Foaming Quart Inn, High Street, Burslem	1	8	4
Forresters' Arms Inn, Smallthorne	2	0	6
Gardeners' Arms, Sandyford, nr. Tunstall		1	7
Gardeners' Arms, Upper Mount Street, Tunstall ...	1	9	9
Gardeners' Arms, Leek Road, Smallthorne		1	8
Gladstone Arms, Pleasant Street, Burslem		3	6
Goose Inn, Haywood Road, Stanfields	9	2	4
Globe Inn, High Street, Goldenhill	1	7	1
Greyhound Inn, High Street, Smallthorne		9	6
George Inn, Paradise Street, Tunstall		3	1
Highgate Inn, High Street, Tunstall		2	1
Holly Bush Inn, Leek Road, Smallthorne		1	3
Holden Bridge Hotel, Leek Road, Sneyd Green		14	2
Hope & Anchor Inn, Pittshill		1	2
Jolly Potters, Blackwell Street, Cobridge		1	6
Jug Inn, Sneyd Street, Cobridge		2	3
King's Head Inn, Cobridge Road, Hanley		1	10
King's Head Inn, Leek Road, Smallthorne		6	10
King's Head Inn, King Street, Tunstall		18	1

LICENSED HOUSES—*Continued*

	£	s.	d.
Llewellyn, Mrs. (Off License) Sun Street, Tunstall ...	2	7	0
Lamb Inn, Sneyd Street, Tunstall		9	0
Legs of Man, Market Place, Burslem		1	4
Longport Workingmen's Club	3	0	0
Market Inn, Amicable Street, Tunstall		16	1
Marquis of Granby Hotel, Market Place, Burslem ...		2	9
Millstone Inn, Market Place, Burslem		3	8
Moon & Stars Inn, Newport Lane, Burslem		1	11
Mount Inn, Mount Street, Tunstall		4	0
North Staffs. Licensed Victuallers' Association	3	3	0
New Inn, Milton		1	6
New Vaults Inn, Market Place, Burslem		9	6
North Stafford Inn, Scotia Road, Tunstall	1	8	6
North Road Hotel, North Road, Cobridge		2	7
Norton Central Workingmen's Club, Norton-le-Moors ...	1	0	10
Norton Arms, High Street, Norton		4	1
Potters' Arms Inn, Newport Lane, Burslem		4	3
Park Inn, Burslem	2	11	3
Queen's Head Hotel, Queen Street, Burslem	1	7	0
Railway Inn, Newcastle Street, Burslem	1	1	0
Railway Inn, Moorland Road, Burslem		9	0
Railway Hotel, Leek Road, Smallthorne		3	3
Railway Inn, Oxford, nr. Tunstall	1	6	0
Red Lion Inn, High Street, Goldenhill		10	6
Ship Inn, Hot Lane, Burslem		7	3
Sneyd Arms Hotel, Sneyd Green	19	18	10
Shakespeare Inn, Tunstall		16	8
Sneyd Hotel, Tunstall	1	9	6
Staff of Life, Newcastle Street, Burslem		4	9
Stag Inn, Waterloo Road, Burslem		8	7
Three Horse Shoes, High Street, Tunstall	1	16	9
Tramway Inn, Waterloo Road, Burslem	1	2	11
Travellers' Rest, Oldcott Green, Goldenhill		8	9
Travellers' Rest, Newcastle Street, Burslem		2	5
Victory Club, Pittshill	3	3	0
Vine Inn, Moorland Road, Burslem		2	9
Washington Stores, Waterloo Road, Burslem		2	0
Wheatsheaf Hotel, High Street, Tunstall		5	2
Workmen's Reform Club, King Street, Tunstall ...	2	5	8
	£93	17	2

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

1939 £ s. d.		£ s. d	£ s. d.
	ORDINARY INCOME		
	VOLUNTARY GIFTS.		
	(i) **Subscriptions, Donations, etc.:—**		
99 13 6	Personal Annual Subscriptions ...	102 8 0	
588 3 6	Annual Subscriptions of Firms and Associations	523 17 10	
			626 5 10
66 5 10	Donations	163 17 0	
158 2 7	Charities' Committees	196 13 4	
209 7 0½	Entertainments and Efforts	259 19 6	
42 17 6	Churches	34 18 0	
112 19 2½	Licensed Houses	93 17 2	
30 5 0	Ex-Patients' Association	67 3 2	
98 0 9	Box Collections	114 19 8	
1000 0 0	Whist Championship Committee—1939—1940 Season	575 0 0	
			1506 7 10
	RECEIPTS ON ACCOUNT OF SERVICES RENDERED.		
	(i) **Contributions on Account of Services Rendered to Patients:—**		
1186 12 0	Private Patients	1101 12 0	
240 0 0	Ministry of Health	96 0 0	
21 10 6	X-Ray Fees	31 6 6	
	Hospital Contributory Association 7977 11 0		
	Less Hon. Medical Staff Endowment Fund ... 420 0 0		
8050 0 0		7557 11 0	
37 5 1	General Patients (not members of Contributory Association)	53 10 2	
20 10 8	Pathological Fees	21 8 4	
60 5 6	Other Contributory Associations ...	142 8 8	
125 18 3	Orthopædics	41 10 6	
137 6 10	Public Authorities	79 10 0	
1 0	Sundries	12 3	
			9125 9 5
246 10 8	(ii) From Insurance Companies under the Provisions of the Road Traffic Act ...		211 11 2
	(iii) **Other Receipts:—**		
14 10 11	Hire of Articles and Sundry Sales ...	7 4 6	
2 10 0	Inquest Fees	1 17 6	
56 13 8	Refund from Superannuation Account	— — —	
66 17 9	Bank Interest	180 8 3	
28 14 6	Rents	19 2 8	
10 6 8	Sundries	— — —	
			208 12 11
829 19 11	(iv) **Invested Property:—** Interest, Dividends, etc.		848 19 0
13541 8 10	Total Ordinary Income ...		£12527 6 2
	EXTRAORDINARY INCOME.		
2100 0 0	Legacy—the late Mrs. Lawton		50 0 0
15641 8 10			12577 6 2
	Balance being excess of total expenditure over total income for the year		322 9 7
			£12899 15 9

for the Year ended 31st December, 1940.

1939 £ s. d.		£ s. d	£ s. d.
	ORDINARY EXPENDITURE		
1901 16 4	(i) PROVISIONS		2112 7 10
	(ii) SURGERY AND DISPENSARY.		
837 4 2	1 Drugs and Anæsthetics	667 3 3	
228 13 0	2 Dressings, Bandages, etc.	177 16 9	
404 7 8	3 Instruments and Appliances	297 17 9	
509 2 2	4 X-Ray Department	483 12 3	
25 7 11	5 Wines and Spirits	20 7 7	
218 3 11	6 Salaries and Wages of Dispensing Staff	196 3 9	
117 12 6	7 Orthopædic Appliances	92 14 0	
			1935 15 4
	(iii) DOMESTIC.		
114 14 1	1 Renewal and Repair to Furniture, Bedding and Crockery, etc. ...	223 12 4	
92 1 4	2 Laundry	84 16 10	
87 15 2	3 Cleaning and Chandlery	53 10 11	
198 19 1	4 Water	192 1 7	
1181 7 0	5 Fuel, Lighting, Heat and Power ...	1299 15 2	
24 17 9	6 Uniforms and Drapery	4 0 3	
8 15 0	7 Sundries	3 17 0	
			1861 14 1
	(iv) SALARIES AND WAGES (MAINTENANCE)		
531 5 4	1 Medical	641 1 0	
2099 13 9	2 Nursing	2134 6 0	
1905 16 3	3 Other Officers and Employees ...	2057 6 3	
297 8 0	4 Superannuation	320 9 8	
			5153 2 11
	(v) MISCELLANEOUS.		
266 13 8	1 Printing, Stationery, Postages. Telephone, etc.	206 0 3	
35 12 0	2 Advertisements	51 17 3	
107 5 5	3 Insurance of Buildings, Equipment, Stores, etc.	121 19 8	
9 5 7	4 Garden	32 9 11	
31 13 9	5 Sundries	7 10 10	
			419 17 11
	(vi) ADMINISTRATION.		
867 5 9	1 Salaries	710 12 3	
148 5 11	2 Printing, Stationery, Postages, Telephone, etc.	132 17 4	
37 18 3	3 Auditors' Fees and Law Charges ...	21 0 0	
50 2 8	4 Sundries	12 9 0	
			876 18 7
	(vii) ESTABLISHMENT.		
415 10 0	1 Renewal and Repairs to Building and Plant	160 6 5	
180 19 6	2 Plumbing and Painting	38 13 5	
			198 19 10
	(viii) FINANCE.		
14 0	1 Interest	13 0 0	
27 10 11	2 Appeals	2 11 1	
134 12 6	3 Rent, Rates and Taxes	127 1 10	
			142 12 11
13098 10 4	Total Ordinary Expenditure ...		12701 9 5
	EXTRAORDINARY EXPENDITURE;—		
	New Greenhouse		27 12 8
1138 19 6			
251 16 8	A.R.P.		170 13 8
14489 6 6	TOTAL EXPENDITURE		£12899 15 9
1152 2 4			
15641 8 10			£12899 15 9

BALANCE SHEET as at 31st December, 1940 -

LIABILITIES	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
SUNDRY CREDITORS ...		703 14 11
BALANCE ON SPECIAL FUNDS		1201 10 2
BANK OVERDRAFT:—		
Orthopædic Account		61 5 5
CAPITAL ACCOUNT:—		
General Fund		29263 6 9
SURPLUS:—		
As at January 1st, 1940 ...	5998 7 8	
Less Excess of Expenditure of over Income during year to 31st December, 1940 ...	322 9 7	
		5675 18 1
		£36905 15 4

ASSETS	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
SUNDRY DEBTORS		244 12 0
CONSUMABLE STOCKS ON HAND		470 10 0
CASH ACCOUNT:—		
At Bank—Current Account ...	3689 9 4	
At Bank—Deposit Account ...	1979 18 7	
In Hand	56 8 6	
		5725 16 5
CASH AT BANK on account of:		
Thomas Leicester Convalescent Fund	586 9 1	
Whist Championship Com. ...	539 0 6	
Hospital Fed. Superannuation Fund for Nurses	76 0 7	
		1201 10 2
INVESTMENTS:—		
£2433 6 1 3½% War Stock	2433 6 1	
£1083 3 4 3½% War Stock	1083 3 4	
£23662 11 9 India 3% Stock	23662 11 9	
£354 5 7 Australia 3¼% Registered Stock	354 5 7	
£1580 2½% Consolidated Stock	1580 0 0	
£150 Stoke-on-Trent 3% Mortgage	150 0 0	
		29263 6 9
		£36905 15 4

Note.—No value has been placed upon Land, Buildings and Equipment.

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ORTHOPAEDIC APPLIANCES ACCOUNT

Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31st December, 1940

RECEIPTS	£	s.	d.	PAYMENTS	£	s.	d.
To Amounts received in respect of Appliances supplied	41	10	6	By Balance due to Treasurer 1st January, 1940	21	14	5
,, Massage Box Collections	13	14	0	,, Purchase of Appliances	92	14	0
,, Balance due to Treasurer 31st December, 1940	61	5	5	,, Bank Charges	2	1	6
	£116	9	11		£116	9	11

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The Thomas Leicester Fund for Convalescents

Receipts and Payments Account for the year ended 31st December, 1940

RECEIPTS ...	£	s.	d.	PAYMENTS	£	s.	d.
To Balance in Treasurer's hands 1st January, 1940	539	6	4	By Maintenance of Patients in Convalescent Homes	12	18	0
,, Interest on Capital invested	39	10	0	,, Subscription—Royal Alexandra Hospital	2	2	0
,, Bank Interest	23	2	9	,, Bank Charges		10	0
				,, Balance in Treasurer's hands 31st Dec., 1940	586	9	1
	£601	19	1		£601	19	1

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FEDERATED SUPERANNUATION FUND

Receipts and Payments Account for the yea ·ended 31st December, 1940

RECEIPTS	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
To Balance in Treasurer's hands, 1st January, 1940		53 2 8
„ Contributions:—		
Hospital Proportion ...	351 16 4	
Nurses' Proportion	175 18 2	
		527 14 6
„ F.S.S. for N. & H.O.:— Amount received from Contributors on behalf of members		16 16 3
„ Other Hospitals:— Contributors transferred ...		5 5 5
„ Hospital Account:— Annual Subscriptions ...		7 0 0
„ Bank Interest		1 7 3
		£611 6 1

PAYMENTS	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
By Insurance Premiums		502 10 0
„ Refund to Members		2 0 10
„ Refund to Hospital Account		16 11 8
„ F.S.S. for N. & H.O.:—		
Subscriptions	7 0 0	
Contributors leaving employ	6 15 6	
		13 15 6
„ Bank Commission		7 6
„ Balance in Treasurer's hands, 31st December, 1940 ...		76 0 7
		£611 6 1

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MOOR HOUSE,
MOORLAND ROAD,
BURSLEM,
STOKE-ON-TRENT,
22nd April, 1941.

AUDITOR'S REPORT 1940

We have examined the Annual Statement of Accounts, herein with the books and vouchers relating thereto, and certify the same to be in accordance therewith. We have verified the investments belonging to the above Institution on the 31st December, 1940. *The receipts for the renewals of Fire, Machinery, Boiler, Public Liability, Plate Glass, Workmen's Compensation and Engineering Insurance Policies, and the Fidelity Guarantee Policies of the Secretary and Organiser, have been produced to us.*

J. PATERSON BRODIE & SON,
Incorporated Accountants.

DEDICATED BEDS AND COTS

It would be difficult to suggest a better or more fitting memorial than a dedicated bed or cot.

In this way the memory of a relative or friend and the generous act of the benefactor are brought into permanent association with a great work of healing.

A bed may be dedicated by a donation or legacy of £1000 and a cot by a donation or legacy of £500.

A tablet, appropriately worded, is affixed to each dedicated bed or cot.

The Secretary would be glad to hear from anyone desiring to help the hospital in this manner.

List of Dedicated Wards, Beds and Cots

WARDS

1933 July 20 — The "Dobson" Ward.

The "Maddock" Ward.

The "Tellwright" Ward.

These Wards were named and dedicated by the Bishop of Lichfield to perpetuate the notable benefactions of these three families.

BEDS

1933 July 20 — On the same date tablets were unveiled and beds dedicated to commemorate the benefactions of the undermentioned persons, viz. :—

Col. Sir Wm. Dobson and the late Mr. Matthew Dobson.

The late Mrs. Heeles.

The late Mr. Alfred Chew.

The late Miss Amelia Bell.

The late Mrs. Bates.

The late Mr. Arthur Maddock.

The late Miss Burgess.

Mrs. Tellwright and Mr. Wm. Tellwright.

Miss Salisbury and the late Mr. Lazarus Salisbury.

United Services Fund, Tunstall Section.

1939 April 18 — Mr. and Mrs. Percy Cooper, The Priory, Blurton, in memory of their daughter, Jessie, and her husband John Walley.

1939 Dec. 12 — The Tunstall and District Assurance Collecting Society to commemorate the centenary of the Society.

COTS

1933 July 20 — Mrs. Tellwright and Mr. Wm. Tellwright.

The late Mr. W. E. Robinson on behalf of his Sisters, Brother and Self in memory of their Mother.

The Prudential Assurance Co., Ltd., London.

1939 Feb. — The Potteries Motor Traction Co.'s Employees' Charities Committtee (Goldenhill Depot).

RULES AND TERMS FOR PRIVATE PATIENTS

1.—ADMISSION.

Private Patients can only be admitted by arrangement with a Member of the Honorary Medical and Surgical Staff of the Hospital and for treatment by such a Member.

Where in exceptional circumstances a patient is admitted without previous arrangements having been made, he or she will be placed under the care of the Honorary Physician or Surgeon on duty, who will charge for professional services.

Mental or Infectious cases cannot be admitted.

Persons not in touch with Members of the Honorary Medical and Surgical Staff may make application to the Secretary or the Matron regarding admission.

2.—SCALE OF HOSPITAL CHARGES.

Single bedded room	...	...	£6 6 0 per week.
Double bedded room	...	...	£4 4 0 per week.

ACCOMMODATION AVAILABLE.

3 Rooms with single beds.
4 Rooms with two beds.

Should a single bed room be desired and is not available at the time, a double bed room may be reserved, if available, as a single bed room at a charge of £7 7 0 per week.

These charges cover maintenance, dressings, ordinary Hospital attendance and nursing, and the use of the Operating Theatre.
Extra charges will be made for :—

(i) Special Nurses—£2 12 6 weekly.
(ii) Stimulants and Special Preparations.
(iii) X-Ray Examinations.
(iv) Pathological Reports or Treatment.
(v) Massage Treatment.

All charges are now subject to a plusage of 10%

Weekly accounts will be presented; cheques should be crossed and made payable to the Hospital.

The day of admission and the day of discharge are reckoned as one day.

3.—PROFESSIONAL FEES.

Patients will make their own arrangements for the payment of all professional fees directly with the Member of the Honorary Medical or Surgical Staff in charge of the case.

Additional fees will be payable for the services of an Anæsthetist or other Member of the Honorary Medical or Surgical Staff.

4.—VISITORS.

Visitors are allowed between the hours of 2 p.m. and 3-30 p.m., and between 6 p.m. and 7-30 p.m., or as arranged with the Matron. Not more than two visitors shall be allowed to each patient at one time and the visiting hours must be strictly kept.

Visitors are requested to obtain the permission of the Nurse in charge before entering the room.

Except in special conditions, children under the age of 12 years will not be allowed to visit.

5.—GENERAL.

Patients are requested to provide a proper change of linen, hair brush and comb, tooth brush and dressing gown.

Personal linen should be plainly marked and patients will make their own arrangements for personal laundry.

Responsibility cannot be accepted for the safe custody of valuables.

GENERAL HOSPITAL RULES

1. No person shall be eligible for admission as an in-patient or for treatment as an out-patient whose circumstances, in the opinion of the Governors, enable him to pay for such suitable medical treatment as his condition requires.

2. No lunatic and no person suffering from any form of contagious or infectious disease, confirmed consumption, ulcerated legs of long standing, cancer (not admitting of operation), puerperal fever, or any incurable disease, no female far advanced in pregnancy (unless Cæsarean section is needed), may be admitted as an in-patient; or if inadvertently admitted, be allowed to remain, if removal be practical without risk to the patient.

3. No patient shall be allowed to remain in the hospital more than two months without the consent of the Governors, which shall only be given in special circumstances.

4. It is absolutely necessary before sending a case for admission to ascertain (stating the sex and nature of the case) if there be a vacancy for the patient.

5. No one shall be admitted or allowed to remain as an in-patient whose case may be properly relieved as an out-patient.

6. Accidents and cases of great urgency are treated, and, if necessary, admitted without a recommendation, but the needed recommendation must be obtained afterwards. All other cases must be recommended by a subscriber.

7. No recommendation (whether for an in-patient or out-patient) shall be available for more than two months without renewal.

8. Visiting Days.—Thursday and Saturday from 2-30 till 4-0 in the afternoon. Children's Ward, Saturday only 2-30 to 3-30. Children under 14 are not allowed to visit patients.

OUT-PATIENTS' DEPARTMENT

The Out-Patient Department is conducted as a series of Consultative Clinics.

Patients on admission will be required to produce the usual recommendation, together with a letter from their own doctor stating the nature of the case and their requirements, addressed to the appropriate department.

The patients will return to their own doctors for treatment where possible. Should hospital treatment, either in-patient or out-patient be required, this will be carried on after consultation with their own doctor, who will be communicated with by the Honorary in charge of all cases.

All fracture cases may be sent direct to the X-Ray Department any morning other than Sunday at 9 a.m.

Other cases such as :—

Chest,
Kidney,
Gall Bladder and
Stomach Cases, etc.

must be sent to the appropriate out-patient department, either medical or surgical, at the times stated for those Clinics.

TIME TABLE OF OUT-PATIENT CLINICS

	Clinic	*Time*	*Hon. Physicians and Surgeons*	*Times for Registration*
Monday	Ear, Nose and Throat	9-0 a.m.	Mr. G. A. Carter Mr. E. H. Richards (alternate weeks)	8-30 a.m.—9-30 a.m.
	Medical	2-30 p.m.	Dr. Bruce Maclean	2-0 p.m.—2-30 p.m.
Tuesday	Eyes	9-0 a.m.	Mr. T. Aubrey Jones	8-30 a.m.—9-30 a.m.
		2-0 p.m.	Dr. J. Magill	1-45 p.m.—2-0 p.m.
Wednesday	Orthopædic	9-0 a.m.	Mr. D. Wainwright	8-30 a.m.—9-0 a.m.
	Dental Cases	9-0 a.m.	Mr. J. T. Adams Mr. R. C. Smart (alternate weeks)	8-30 a.m.—9-15 a.m.
	Medical	2-30 p.m.	Dr. J. P. P. Stock	2-0 p.m.—2-30 p.m.
Thursday	Surgical	11-0 a.m.	Mr. A. Gilchrist Mr. J. S. Ramage Mr. J. Grocott (in rotation)	10-15 a.m.—11-0 a.m.
Friday	Orthopædic	1-30 p.m.	Mr. P. B. Roth Mr. D. Wainwright (alternate weeks)	1-30 p.m.—2-15 p.m.
	X-Ray Cases	Each morning between 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. Sundays excepted.	Dr. C. Bellamy	

Patients are respectfully asked to note particularly times for the registration as it important that these be adhered to.

CONCERNING YOUR WILL

May we respectfully point out that legacies are extremely helpful in our work of healing the sick and suffering.

If you can see your way to bequeath a legacy to the Hospital the following FORM OF BEQUEST is suggested, viz. :—

FORMS OF BEQUEST.

"I give and bequeath to the Burslem Haywood and Tunstall War Memorial Hospital, to be applied to the general purposes of that Institution, the sum of £.....free from legacy duty and all other deductions. And I direct that the receipt of the Secretary for the time being of the said Institution shall be a sufficient discharge for this legacy."

"I give and bequeath to the Burslem Haywood and Tunstall War Memorial Hospital, to be applied to the Endowment Fund of that Institution, the sum of £.....free from legacy duty and all other deductions. And I direct that the receipt of the Secretary for the time being of the said Institution shall be a sufficient discharge for this legacy."

Your name can be perpetuated at the Hospital by the dedication of a Cot for £500 or a Bed for £1000.

The Burslem Haywood and Tunstall War Memorial Hospital

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DONATIONS

The Governors earnestly appeal for an increase in Subscriptions to help them in their work.

(a) Please add my name as an **Annual Subscriber** of £ : :

(b) Please Increase my **Annual Subscription** from £ : : to £ : :

(c) Please accept **this Donation** of ... ... £ : :

Name (Mr., Mrs. or Miss).....

Address .....

.....

Date.....

Remittances payable to the Secretary: THE BURSLEM & TUNSTALL WAR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, HIGH LANE, TUNSTALL, STOKE-ON-TRENT

The Burslem Haywood and Tunstall War Memorial Hospital

(Supported by voluntary contributions)

The Governors are very anxious to see the list of

ANNUAL SUBSCRIBERS

to the Hospital increased.

The Secretary will be glad to receive the names and addresses of persons not already on the list who may be likely or willing to become Subscribers.

Name:	*Address:*
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